

Media consolidation needs to be stopped. I am completely against further deregulation of news regulations. The only benefit is the monetary bottom line of the conglomerates involved, and that should NOT be what we are working for. We should be working to provide diverse information sources and opinions, free from the ownership and influence of the few. Deregulation and consolidation can only further the idea of "group think" in our national discourse.

Broadcast media and print media are businesses, yes. But they are businesses are the life blood of democratic processes. Freedom of the Press belongs to those who own one. There is no logical reason to actually help minimize the number that own them.

Please don't consider further deregulations.